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He assails me at the threshold for adopting the signature of "Common Sense," feeling him-self, in the high promptings of his overweening ambition, exclusively entitled to the usufruct of the term. Had I been aware that I was trespassing upon another's patent-right or mono-poly, I would have resorted to a more unpretending name, or left my production anony-mous. For this breech of privilege on my part, I am charged with the crime of forgery; but as there is nothing in a name, I hope my ears are in no danger of coming in contact with the pil-lory and pruning-knife, in consequence of the I could retaliate, were I so disposed, by accusing him of uttering adulterated coin, and of counterfeiting her majesty the Queen's English; but I will be merciful in consideration of his candor in confessing that "it is only since a short time that he commenced to understand English;" but it will be a long one, judging from his specimen, before he ends successfully. I beg leave to arrange his sentence in a more lucid order, thus: "it is only since a very short time that I commenced to learn English: recommending him, in the mean time, to suspend his labors in the field of natural philosophy, and to pay a little attention to syntax, "or the right ordering of words in speech." His whole article is an undigested mass of 'words, words," in which one may winnow a eck of chaff before finding a grain of sense. To his assumed right to the monopoly of com-mon sense, his claim to one more kind of sense

must be added—and that is nonsense!
Although his deficiency in the English language is too apparent to require a voluntary confession, he more than compensates for that loss by his great notoriety in the gift of other tongues. He quotes Latin and Italian, and could, no doubt, write with equal facility in high or low Dutch, which I should guess was this vernacular tongue. He advises me to study the elementary book of natural philosophy and the recliments of astronomy, to prepare myself the better to understand the grand exhibition, intended to afford a practical lesson on these sciences, that is to come off shortly at the great hall of the Smithsonian Institution. As he seems to speak as one by authority, I presame we must consider him as the high priest in the profound mysteries of that grand temple of science. On that august occasion the spectacle to be exhibited to the admiration of the favored few is to be of so select and sublime a character as to afford "a worthy pastime to a higher order of beings" than proud and boastful man! If the holy angels are to be tempted by this extraordinary experiment to leave the refulgent circle that surrounds the throne of the Most High, and descend to this "little O, the earth, (a mere speck in infinite space, scarcely visible to the inhabitants of Jupiter or the other superior planets,) and enter the great hall of the In-stitute, to enjoy the pastime of looking at the vibration of a pendulum as it slowly swings to and fro, over a circle of degrees marked on the lever, we humble mortals will have to stand at respectable distance, and it would be the height

have had it in their power to offer such a se- a sound so sublimely mournful and still, in deference to the high officiating priest selected for that sublime occasion, it is to be expected that a choir of ministering angels will, like "winged messengers alighting on a heaven-kissing hill," descend upon the towers and battlements of this most favored college, and witness the interesting display in physics within its walls; unless "proud man, invested with a little brief authority, should play such fantastic tricks before high heaven" as to cause them to

weep and take their flight to their happy home. As the aforesaid writer has not conde-scended to afford us a specimen of his progress in support of his new theory of the earth's rosity, requiring at my hands any endeavor, to this vibration of a pendulum does not establish the fact of the earth's diurnal revolution. I will therefore conclude this article, and all yet, that the sea will break in on them if they correspondence on the subject, by giving the writer's concluding sentence as an example, to all students of logic, of conspicuous order, clear and intelligent diction, and grammatical the position we now occupy—and, firing our work to unriddle it as he may:

15th, keeping his incognito as 'Common Sense,' might study from any elementary book of natural onstrate the fallacy of the trial, but to comprewith 'Common Sense,' or unblushingly with his real name, if he should feel tempted evermore to have to keep out the sea! come forward again with any oracle of his!!!

COMMUNICATION WITH JAPAN. - We menioned some time since that a number of Japanese officers were taken from the wreck of a unk, by an American vessel, and brought into San Francisco. A correspondent of the Journal of Commerce says that the United States Government have ordered one of the vessels in the Pacific to take these shipwrecked strangers on board and convey them home, and thus avail hemselves of the opportunity to renew the attempt to open a negotiation with Japan, for the establishment of a commercial intercourse. This, however, will be a difficult matter, as they have hitherto refused all intercourse with the English and French; and, when visited by the S. ship of the line Columbus, Commodore Biddle, in July, 1846, declined all negotiations, requesting him "to go away, and not return any more.

THRIVING .- An editor out somewhere on Lake Michigan felicitates himself on an increased ows: "Trade and commerce are rapidly invillage yesterday."

[Communicated.]

A SABBATH AT THE PENITENTIARY. A melancholy pleasure attends a Sabbath visit to the Washington penitentiary. The ne-cessity of walls, bars, and bolts, to protect society against any of its members, presents reflections of deep melancholy. The supply of

istered at the penitentiary for the District of Columbia, by Mr. Ellis the warden, is evidently kindness. By this kindness, not only submis-sion but confidence is secured from the prisoners, under rigorous treatment and restricted privileges. It was remarked that the warden would scarcely apprehend danger from any one of the culprits by sleeping in the same room with him alone. He also remarked that, though called by circumstances to fill the place he then occupied, his sentiment still was, "millions for schools, but not a dollar for prisons."

The Sabbath exercises of the prison, under the administration of Rev. Austin Gray, the chaplain, are appropriate, impressive and sol-emn. The subject of his discourse and the mode of presenting it, on an occasion recently witnessed, were evidently well selected, as shown by the attention and interest exhibited through the entire exercises, embracing those of the Sabbath-school and of the pulpit. We returned from a Sabbath visit to the peniten-tiary with the agreeable reflections, that while the number, character and appliances of schools remain inadequate to the prevention of crime, thus avoiding the necessity of prisons, it is a source of gratification that they may be, and are, conducted on principles of humanity and christian kindness.

A MINE UNDER THE SEA .- The following de scription of a visit to Botallack Copper Mine, in England, is from a work recently published, entitled "Rambles beyond Railroads." In complete mining equipment, with candles stuck by umps of clay to their felt hats, the travellers have painfully descended, by perpendicular ladders and along dripping-wet rock passages, fathoms down into pitchy darkness; the miner who guides them calls a halt, and their exact position with reference to the surface of the terraqueous globe" is thus described:

We are now four hundred yards out, under the bottom of the sea! and twenty fathoms, or a hundred and twenty feet, below the sea level. Coast-trade vessels are sailing over our heads. Two hundred and forty feet beneath us men are at work, and there are galleries deeper yet, even below that! The extraordinary position down the face of the cliff, of the engines and other works on the surface at Botallack, is now explained. The mine is not excavated like other mines under land, but under the sea!

Having communicated these particulars, the miner next tells us to keep strict silence and listen. We obey him, sitting speechless and motionless. If the reader could only have beheld us how, dressed in our copper-colored garments, huddled close together in a mere cleft of subterranean rock, with a flame burning on our heads and darkness enveloping our limbs—he must certainly have imagined, without any vio-lent stretch of fancy, that he was looking down

upon a conclave of gnomes.

After listening for a few moments, a distant unearthly noise becomes faintly audible—a long, low, mysterious meaning, that never changes-that is felt on the ear as well as heard by it-a sound that might proceed from some of presumption in us to think of joining the company of such a superior order of beings. height-a sound unlike any thing that is heard It is the first time the inhabitants of Earth on the upper ground, in the free air of heavenlect, intellectual treat to those of heaven; and ghostly and impressive, when listened to in the in deference to the high officiating priest setinue instinctively to hold our peace, as if enchanted by it, and think not of communicating tons in human flesh." They are represented, to each other the strange feeling and astonishment which it has inspired in us both from the

first. At last the miner speaks again, and tells us that what we hear is the sound of the surflashing the rocks a hundred and twenty feet above narvon, there is not a married pair; all are us, and of the waves that are breaking on the beach beyond. The tide is now at the flow, and the sea is in no extraordinary state of agitation; so the sound is low and distant just at in natural philosophy and the rudiments of me-chanics; as he has not offered a single argument height, when the ocean hurls mountain after mountain of water on the cliffs, then the noise -although, like all new converts, he shows is terrific; the roaring heard down here in the such a huge zeal in the cause-I feel no neces- mine is so expressibly fierce and awful, that the boldest men at work are afraid to continue advance a reason to prove a negative; or, that | their labor-all ascend to the surface to breathe upper air and stand on the firm earth; dreading, though no catastrophe has ever happened will therefore conclude this article, and all yet, that the sea will break in on them if they

construction; and, if he happen to be gifted with | candles hither and thither in the darkness, can the prophetic spirit of a sphynx, let him go to see the bright pure copper streaking the gallery in every direction. Lumps of ooze, of the "Until that day, your correspondent of the most lustrous green color, traversed by a natural net-work of thin red veins of iron, appear here and there in large, irregular patches, over philosophy the rudiments of mechanics and which water drips slowly and incessantly in astronomy, to become ready and able, not to demting through invisible crannies in thin continuhend its bearing. This shall prove for him the ous streams. Just over our heads we observe only way to sign his communications lawfully a wooden plug of the thickness of a man's leg; there is a hole here, and the plug is all that we

Immense wealth of metal is contained in the roof of this gallery, throughout its whole length; but it remains, and it will always remain untouched; the miners dare not take it, for it is a great part of the rock which forms the only protection against the sea, and which Layard had proceeded to Mosul, "not having has been so far worked away here, and its thickness is limited to an average of three feet only between the water and the gallery in which we now stand. No one knows what might be pickaxe on any part of it.

BLACKGUARDS .- In all the great houses, but particularly in royal residences, there were a umber of mean and dirty dependants, whose office it was to attend the wood-yard, sculleries, &c. Of these (for in the lowest depth there is a lower still) the most forlorn wretches seem to have been selected to carry coals to the kitchen, halls, &c. To this smutty regiment, who attended the progresses, and rode in the carts with pots and kettles, which, with every other article of furniture, were then moved from palprosperity and rapid growth of the place as fold ace to palace, the people in derision gave the lows: "Trade and commerce are rapidly in name of "blackguards"—a term since become creasing; a schooner under full sail passed our familiar, and never before properly explained. [Gifford's Notes to Ben Jonson's Plays.

California, and what it is to be.—The regularity and frequency with which we now receive news from California have abated much of the interest at first felt in all that concerned

that wonderful portion of our Republic. California, however, is only beginning to be of importance as a part of our Republic. The influence it is destined to exert upon the profood, clothing, and christian instructor, provided for those thus deprived of their liberty either by crime or misfortune, modifies this melancholy by a degree of pleasure, by combining kindness and humanity with a necessary rigor of treatment.

The foundation of the general regimen adminished. value. The miners and speculators who now seek for wealth in its valleys are not the men who will develope its great resources, or do most in working out its destiny. These men are but the forerunners of a better class who will come after them. At present, many of them appear to be rather a curse than a blessing to the country, yet they are breakers-up of the way; and out of the evil good must come. The unworthy must give place to the more wor-This is the order of Providence, and it

will be fulfilled in this instance, as in all others. Industry and settled life will take the place of avaricious speculation and restless adventure. Every day the new State will become more closely allied and more nearly assimilated to the States of the East. Communication by railroad and telegraph will by-and-bye be opened up, and while its gold attracts and enriches the commerce of the Atlantic, it will also be the great debouching point, from which civilization, enterprise and commerce will spread themselves over the wide waters of the Pacific, rescuing China and Japan from the obscurity of centuries, and sprending knowledge and liberty to the farthest boundaries of the habitable world .- N. Y. Sun.

CALIFORNIA AND ITS REPRESENTATION .- We have already stated that the present population of California is about 314,000. By the United States census, only such persons are enume-rated as were residents of the State in June ast, or almost a year ago; and that enumeration, according to the California Courier, shows that the population at that time did not exceed 160,000. So far, therefore, from California being entitled to three representatives in Con-gress, she will be fortunate if she gets two. The ratio of representation will not vary much from 95,000; this will give California one mem-ber, and leave a fraction of 65,000 over. As ome twelve States having the largest fractions will be entitled each to one additional member, California will probably retain, during the next ten years, her present representation, but nothing more.

A young lawyer, named L. W. Pettibone, of Delaware, Ohio, committed suicide in that town on the morning of the 12th, by shooting himself through the head with a rifle. He was in good circumstances; besides, he was engaged o be married, and gave other evidences of being a sensible man; and had he not, when found trimming some bullets, replied to a quere of one of his friends that he was going "to shoot a fool, a d——d fool," and then soon after did do it, he still would have passed for sensible.

Charlottesville Jeffersonian announces that the railroad between that place and Staunton has been all let out to contractors. That portion between Charlottesville and the tunnel will be finished by July, 1852. A strike among the calenderers and lappers

VIRGINIA CENTRAL RAILROAD .- The last

of Glasgow has taken place to the number of 800. The masters talk of training females to the employment. The Raleigh Register nominates Fillmore for

President, and Graham, of North Carolina, for Vice President, in 1852. There is in the interior of Borneo a numerous and powerful race of cannibals-"perfect glut-

relations with each other. It is a curious fact that of Lord Dinorben's tenantry, in the counties of Anglesea and Car-

manage the whole. Malthusianism, indeed, is here realized. Whoever wishes to get on in the world has only to take lessons of a hen chasing a grasshopper through a field. With long neck and peeled eyes, take a few hurried strides, stop short, peep over, peep under, now to the left, then to the right, one flutter—and you have

single, either old maids, bachelors, widows, or widowers, together with a bachelor agent to

On the 9th ult., the court-martial of Piacenza condemned nineteen banditti to death, and one to twenty years' imprisonment, with hard labor. Fifteen of the former were executed immediately; the punishment of the other four was commuted to twenty years of careere duro.

Arabs cultivate the feelings, and are a nation of bandits; they are exceedingly generous, and exceedingly hospitable, and exceedingly unjust; they utter the noblest sentiments, and steal the saddle from under you; they talk of the magnanimity of the Bedouin, and they cut your throat. -Bulwer's Miscellanies.

EDITOR WHIPPED.-Mr. May, junior editor of the Cleveland Herald, was whipped on the 13th, by J. Tiffany, esq., for remarks upon the character and conduct of the latter in connexion with the Spiritual Rappings. Poor busi-

Two antique lions and a bull, all of enormous size, have been sent to England by Layard. Mr. succeeded in his excavations at Babylon. Tell me not of the pain of falsehood to the

slandered! There is nothing so agonizing to the consequence of another day's labor with the the fine skin of vanity, as the application of a rough truth .- Bulwer. The London Daily News publishes the names of the exhibitors at the Great Fair, with a list

of their contributions. They occupy some thirty or forty solid columns of that paper. NEWS FOR CHILDREN .- Ten thousand five hundred bushels of pea-nuts have just arrived in the brig Ottawa, from the river Gambia, in

Why is a very angry man like a clock at fifty-nine minutes past twelve? Because he is ready to strike one.

Bulwer's letters to John Bull, esq., have passed immediately to a second edition.